

BUTTE-GLENN COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
Meeting of the Board of Trustees

January 25, 2017

RESOLUTION NO. 750

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF THE BUTTE-GLENN COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT
COMMITMENT TO STUDENTS

WHEREAS, California Community Colleges were founded with the goal of fostering excellence and guaranteeing educational access for all, and

WHEREAS, one in every five community college students in the nation attends a California Community College and over 67 percent of California Community College students are people of diverse ethnic backgrounds, and roughly 53% are female, and

WHEREAS, the Butte-Glenn Community College District is committed to being and remaining a welcoming environment for all students, including undocumented students, and

WHEREAS, Title 8 of the United States Code Section 1101, Aliens and Nationality, allows children of undocumented immigrants to pursue higher education in the United States, and

WHEREAS, AB 540 signed into law on October 21, 2001, authorizes undocumented students who meet specific criteria to pay in state tuition at California's public colleges and universities, and

WHEREAS, the Butte-Glenn Community College District is committed to upholding the law and rules defined in Title 5 Education Code 54045.5 and 68130.5, Nonresident Tuition Exemption and Title 8 of the United States Code Section 1101, and

WHEREAS, Butte-Glenn Community College District adheres to the procedures and policies as defined and described in Administrative Procedures 5020, Nonresident Tuition, which establishes nonresident student fees and provides for exemptions including non-immigrant aliens who meet specific requirements under Title 8 US Code Section 1101, and

WHEREAS, Butte-Glenn Community College District adheres to the procedures and policies as defined and described in Administrative Procedure 5010, Admissions, which under Federal Law authorizes BGCCD to enroll students who are on F-1 Visas, and

WHEREAS, California Community Colleges and the Butte-Glenn Community College District take great pride in being the gateway to opportunity for Californians of all backgrounds, including traditionally underrepresented economic, social, and racial/ethnic subgroups

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of the Butte-Glenn Community College District is committed to welcoming and educating all students, including international and undocumented AB 540 students, in accordance with law, regulation, and policy.

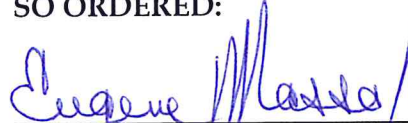
The foregoing resolution was introduced by Board Member Fred Perez who moved its adoption, seconded by Board Member John Blacklock and adopted on January 25, 2017, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Trustees Blacklock, Dahlmeier, Krepelka, McGinnis, Perez

NOES: None

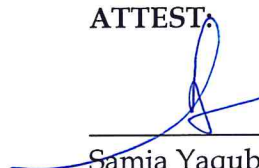
ABSENT: Trustees Boeger, Massa

SO ORDERED:



Gene Massa, President
Board of Trustees

ATTEST



Samia Yaqub, Ph.D., Secretary
Board of Trustees